

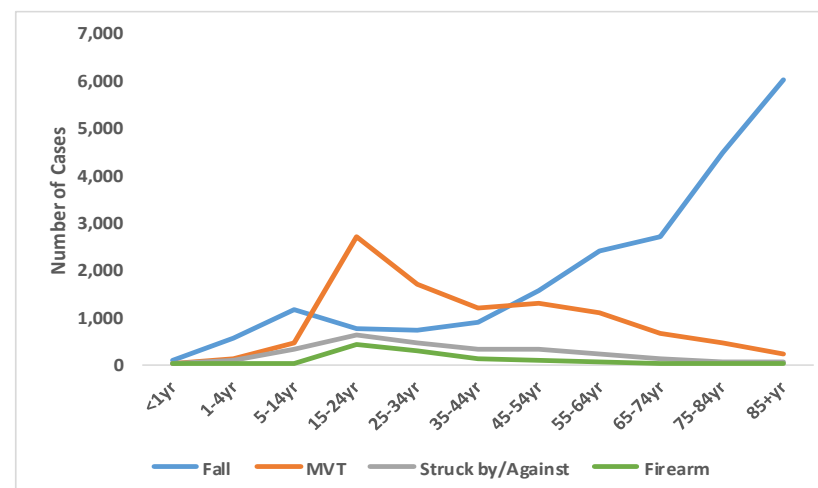
## Causes of Trauma Injury, Nebraska 2010-2014

### Trauma Injuries 2010-2014

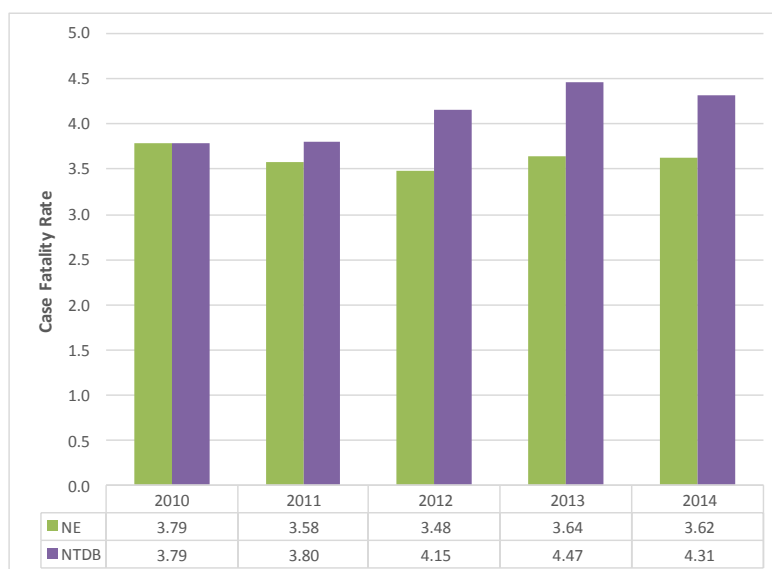
- The three leading causes of trauma injury were falls, motor vehicle traffic (MVT), and firearms
- For traumatic injuries due to a fall, the number drastically increases among those 65 and older
- For trauma cases due to a fall, 62% occurred among those 65 years and older
- The age group with the greatest proportion (27%) of MVT related injuries was those 15-24 years old
- The majority of trauma injuries due to a firearm occurred among men (86%)

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**Fig. 1 Causes of Trauma Injury by Age 2010–2014**



**Fig. 2 Nebraska Trauma Registry Case-Fatality Rate compared to National Trauma Data Bank (NTDB) Case-Fatality Rate 2010-2014**



### Nebraska Trauma Case-Fatality Rates

- From 2010-2014 the Nebraska Trauma Registry case-fatality rate decreased from an overall rate of 3.79 to 3.62 per 100 cases
- Among the leading causes of trauma injury, the highest case fatality rate was firearms at 13.36 per 100 cases
- Among the leading causes of trauma injury, motor vehicle traffic had second highest fatality rates at 3.02 per 100 cases
- From 2011-2014, Nebraska's overall case fatality rate was lower than the National Trauma Data Bank rate